

## THE WEATHER

Tonight and Sunday Fair and Warmer

## TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

## METAL QUOTATIONS

Silver	90 1/2
Copper	23 1/2
Lead	7 1-10
Quicksilver	\$110 1/16

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## PARIS PLACED IN JEOPARDY

## RAPIDITY OF GERMAN ADVANCE WHOLLY UNEXPECTED

## BIG WEDGE SPLITTING THE ALLIES

THE CROWN PRINCE'S ATTACK PROVES TO BE CONTINUATION OF FIRST DRIVE

(By Associated Press.)  
AMSTERDAM, June 1.—The Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung says it is increasingly apparent that the crown prince's advance is not a new attack but a systematic continuation of the previous offensive. It says the new region is already beginning organically to grow together with the big wedge driven towards Amiens.

## PULLMAN RATES ARE INCREASED

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, June 1.—In line with the increase of passenger fares to 1 cent a mile, the Pullman company will shortly announce a raise of the minimum overnight rate for sleeping berths from \$1.50 to \$2. Other Pullman rates will not be changed materially.

## ALLEGED PLOTTERS REPORTED DEAD

(By Associated Press.)  
HUNTSVILLE, June 1.—Six negroes who plotted to avenge the killing of George C. Abineas, a negro draft evader, were killed, either while resisting the sheriff's force or by a mob.

## BELMONT MINER IS BADLY HURT

Martin Brett, a single man aged 33, was seriously injured about noon on the 1200 workings of the Belmont and was taken to the Mine Operators' hospital after he had received first aid at the mine. At last reports Brett was unconscious and the circumstances attending his injury could not be ascertained. All that is known of his case was that he was engaged shovelling ore into a shoot a short distance below the 1200 level when something struck him and he fell. When found he was conscious but could only say that he did not know how the accident happened. It is supposed that his skull is fractured. Brett is a single man who is well known around the mines where he has been employed at various times during his eight years residence in the camp.

## MRS. STOKES SENTENCED

(By Associated Press.)  
KANSAS CITY, June 1.—Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes of New York was sentenced today to five years in the Missouri penitentiary for violation of the espionage act.

## STUDENT AVIATOR KILLED

(By Associated Press.)  
MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 1.—George H. Lacosse, 24, cadet aviator, was killed at Taylor field this afternoon when his plane went into a nose dive. The plane fell about 200 feet.

## CASUALTY LIST

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, June 1.—Three were killed in action, 6 died of wounds, and 10 from disease. Sergeant Chamberlain, of Guerneville, California, died from the effects of an airplane accident. Eleven were slightly wounded and 17 severely wounded, including Herman Lambert, of San Francisco. Nine are missing. Privates Arratabel, of Carson City, and Cresola, of Wadsworth, Nevada, were wounded severely.

## AUSTRIAN ASSAULT ON ITALIAN FRONT HOURLY EXPECTED

RUMBLING OF PREPARATION FINDS ITALY FULLY EQUIPPED

(By Associated Press.)  
ITALIAN HEADQUARTERS (Friday), May 31.—It is considered a question of only a short time when the Austrian offensive, long heralded by the meeting of German and Austrian emperors, will break violently. This is further indicated by local actions on both extremities of the Italian front.

A high Italian official told the Associated Press correspondent: "Italy's armies are thoroughly prepared, perhaps better than ever before, so far as modern war material is concerned."

## GERMAN LOSSES OFFICIALLY STATED

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, June 1.—The German general staff was not in position on April 27 to give detailed information regarding German losses in the offensive operations begun on March 21. This announcement was made in the reichstag by General von Wrisberg, according to the Berlin Vorwaerts, a copy of which has been received here.

The number of men taken prisoner and missing in the German armies up to March 31, General von Wrisberg said, was 664,104. Most of these were prisoners, there being 236,000 prisoners in France, 119,000 in England, and 157,000 in Russia and Rumania.

The remainder, about 152,000 should be considered as dead.

## JAPS PROFESSING ALLIED FRIENDSHIP

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, June 1.—There is little present possibility of an alliance between Germany and Japan, Premier Terauchi asserted in an interview with the Tokyo correspondent of the Daily Mail. The premier expressed the belief that Japan's relations with the entente would continue unaltered. He asked to be excused from discussing intervention in Siberia.

## AIRMEN'S DEADLY AIM AT ZEEBRUGGE

(By Associated Press.)  
AMSTERDAM, June 1.—A long heavy aerial bombardment was made on Zeebrugge Thursday night and at about 11 o'clock this morning there was a tremendous crash. Flames rose high and it is supposed that a powder magazine was exploded, according to a Flushing dispatch to the Telegraph.

## AIR RAIDS UNNERVING HUN RACES

POPULACE OF GERMAN TOWNS DEMORALIZED BY ALLIED BOMBINGS

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, June 1.—Allied air raids are demoralizing the people of German towns according to state department advices which said the effect upon the population is far greater than reported heretofore. The Germans are using artillery to suppress the peasant revolt in Ukraine, according to Petrograd advices. Revolutionaries are reported burning forests, destroying crops and refusing to surrender agricultural implements.

## BRUTAL TREATMENT GIVEN AMERICANS

(By Associated Press.)  
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE (Friday), May 31.—A statement made by Russian prisoners from Germany, available here, says that American prisoners at Tschel, West Prussia, asked him to let it be known that they are treated brutally. They said they were hungry and penniless.

## AMERICANS GET FINE RESULTS

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, June 1.—American volunteer technical detachments destroyed thirty-two dugouts and a bridge, and killed or wounded twenty of the enemy in a raid in the Woerw sector, according to a report from General Pershing.

## FOUR ARTILLERISTS HURT IN A CONTEST

(By Associated Press.)  
LOS ANGELES, June 1.—Four men of the 143 field artillery were hurt, one possibly fatally, in a race between gun companies at Exposition park.

## HEROIC DEFENCE OF THE FRENCH HOLDS THE ENEMY TEMPORARILY

(By Associated Press.)  
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, May 31.—South of Soissons, the enemy attempted a renewal of his push but came in contact with French troops which thrust him back, notwithstanding his employment of numerous tanks. No progress was made. In the center the Germans are placing great faith in their immense superiority of numbers. An added advantage is that they carry a number of tanks. They evidently are abundantly supplied with ammunition as they kept their guns going at all times. Ville-en-Tardenois was a target for the few cannon they were able to carry forward with them during their rapid

## TODAY AND A YEAR AGO.

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:

	1918	1917
5 a. m.	48	42
10 a. m.	56	54
12 noon	66	59
Maximum, May 31	64	59
Minimum, May 31	46	37
Relative humidity at noon today	33 per cent.	

## FIRST AMERICAN TO WIN HONOR OF BECOMING AN ACE

LIEUT. CAMPBELL IS CREDITED WITH HIS FIFTH VICTORY OVER GERMANS

(By Associated Press.)  
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, June 1.—An American pilot brought down another German airplane today in a battle near St. Mihiel, unofficially reported. Lieutenant Douglas Campbell, of California, won the honor of being the first ace of the American flying corps when he won his fifth aerial victory Friday by shooting down a German biplane near Pont-a-Mousson. Campbell said that the enemy's ammunition was exhausted and offered him two chances to surrender and descend behind the allied line. When he declined he opened fire and the German crashed to earth. Campbell said: "I didn't like the idea of shooting him down when not fighting, but I couldn't let him get away." It is probable that Lieutenant Rickenschlager will be announced as an ace as soon as official confirmation of a victory reported to have been gained by Rickenschlager Thursday, which will bring his victories to five. The American airmen made prisoner Thursday when his machine fell in No Man's Land was Lieutenant Casgrain of Detroit.

The fight today was one of a series of combats. This morning one enemy machine reported brought down began falling after an American had poured a stream of bullets into his opponent.

The Paris Havas agency review says military critics still view the situation as serious, but consider signs are increasingly reassuring. The most important development regarded the enemy's attempt to advance westward and push toward Paris, thus revealing what is considered his strategic intentions.

(By Associated Press.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—Lieutenant Campbell resided at Mount Hamilton before he entered the aviation service. He is 21 years of age.

## TERRITORY TAKEN REGARDED AS EASILY DEFENDED WITH A COMPARATIVELY SMALL ARMP

## GERMANS FAIL IN ATTEMPTS TO CROSS THE MARNE

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, June 1.—General Marsh told the senate military committee today that the opinion here is that the Germans have reached the present objective, the Marne, and probably now will dig in and prepare for a later drive, perhaps on Paris. With the Germans within forty miles the Paris situation is regarded as serious. He told the senators that the rapidity of the German advance since Monday was unexpected. Twenty German divisions were thrown against seven of the allies.

The territory the Germans have taken has been regarded as easily defended and a comparatively small force was holding it. More than 200,000 Americans were sent abroad in May and it is planned to send a larger number in June with a greater percentage of combatant troops.

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, June 1.—The morning newspapers emphasize the gravity of the news from the western front, and comment anxiously although express hopefulness regarding the final outcome. The Daily News says the

statement given the Associated Press by the military authorities in which the situation is depicted as a very anxious one, is disquieting, since it must be accepted as reliable. The News, however, is encouraged to view that the situation is not past retrieving.

(By Associated Press.)  
PARIS, June 1.—The German attack continued during the night with redoubled violence on the western side of the salient between Soissons and Chateau Thierry. The French counter-attacked and drove back masses of Germans in the region of Soissons and on the line of Chaudun-Vierzy, gaining ground everywhere, and taking several hundred prisoners. Along the northern bank of the Marne the Germans pushed forward advance parties from north and east of Chateau Thierry as far as Verneuil. Sharp fighting occurred on the road between Dormans and Rheims.

The situation is unchanged north-west and north of Rheims. German airmen attempted two raids on Paris last night. They failed at first, but they reached the city on the second attempt and bombed the capital.

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, June 1.—German artillery was considerably more active on the Villers-Bretonneux and Hebuterne sectors and north of Albert.

(By Associated Press.)  
WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 1.—Americans are reaching useful positions on the battle area. They are displaying an ardent desire to participate in the battle. The Germans failed in all attempts to cross the Marne.

As far as learned only a comparatively small force attempted to cross. German artillery, which reached the heights behind the Marne in some force, was active early yesterday, but not effective.

The Germans brought the point of their fanlike movement to a sharp salient by pushing to the northern bank of the Marne. A correspondent watched the enemy's movements in this vicinity, which were plainly visible in the brilliant sunshine. All their efforts tended westward. The allied artillery is making splendid practice on the German troops.

## HOUSE BREAKS ALL RECORDS FOR SPEED PASSING ARMY BILL

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, June 1.—The house broke its record for speed on an army bill by taking the final vote after three days of debate.

The measure is framed to provide for an army of 3,000,000 men during the coming year, in accordance with the government's revised program for rushing soldiers to France. Some of its big items are \$6,315,135,000 for the quartermaster corps; \$3,396,000,000 for ordnance; \$1,028,000,000 for the engineers; \$990,250,812 for aviation and \$267,000,000 for the medical corps.

During the debate Representative Longworth of Ohio and others condemned what they called "over-optimistic" statements concerning the number of American soldiers sent overseas and the amount of arms and equipment provided for them. Mr. Longworth referred particularly to a statement by Senator Lewis of Illinois at Chicago, that there now are a million American soldiers in Europe.

## DESTROYERS SAVE TRANSPORT CREW

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, June 1.—Destroyers rescued survivors of the transport President Lincoln torpedoed yesterday, which carried a crew and a few convalescent soldiers returning to the United States. Latest advices said the casualties were slight.

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, June 1.—More than 1500 German and Bulgarian prisoners, among them 33 officers and a large quantity of war materials, have been captured by Greek troops on the Macedonian front.

## SPECIAL CALL FOR CALIFORNIA DRAFT

(By Associated Press.)  
SACRAMENTO, June 1.—California's quota for the June draft of 6000 will be sent to Camp Kearney. The state is requested to supply 247 on a special call today. These will be sent to Corvallis and given mechanical training at the Oregon agricultural college. They will be accepted by voluntary induction until June 8 so as to give them time to arrive at Corvallis by June 15.

## SHRINER'S BADGE FOR P. S. BOOTH

A pretty surprise was sprung last evening after the session of Tonopah Lodge No. 28, P. & A. M., when the members got together after conferring the degrees to signalize the departure of P. S. Booth, who leaves tomorrow morning to join the colors in whatever department Uncle Sam may choose to assign him. His Masonic brethren remembered him with a beautiful pin representing a badge of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine and the occasion was made the vehicle for expressing sincere regrets at the departure of one who has been one of the mainsprings and most active members of the order during his twelve years residence in Tonopah. Mr. and Mrs. Booth leave Sunday morning at 4 o'clock by auto for the coast from whence they will proceed east.

## BUTLER THEATRE

## TO-NIGHT

A Heart Drama of Compelling Sweetness is  
"WEAVER OF DREAMS"  
Starring Adorable  
VIOLA DANA  
Also  
MACK BENNETT COMEDY  
"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE"

## TOMORROW

"THE STRONG WAY"  
With June Elvidge, and  
"Vengeance and the Woman"